



Code of Conduct

- **ALL SHOOTERS MUST ALWAYS CONDUCT THEMSELVES IN A SAFE AND PROFESSIONAL MANNER WHILE AT A SHOOTING RANGE.**

This includes:

- no horseplay
 - no foul or offensive language
 - no aggressive behavior, throwing of equipment, hats, shells or rough handling of firearms
 - absolutely no pointing of firearms of any kind at other individuals
 - no alcohol or tobacco products will be permitted during SCTP events or by underage individuals at any time.
- **SHOOTERS MUST RESPECT COACHES, TEAMMATES AND COMPETITORS AND BEHAVE IN A SPORTSMANLIKE MANNER.**

All participants in Arizona SCTP will be held to a shooter's code of conduct and may be removed from the program by their lead instructor or state officials for failure to adhere to the code.

Safety Rules

- **SAFETY EQUIPMENT**

Eye and Ear protection is required at all times. Each shooter is required to wear a shell pouch or vest and a hat for skeet and sporting clays.

- **MUZZLE CONTROL**

All guns must be pointed in a safe direction **AT ALL TIMES**. When gun is carried with muzzle pointed upward, the muzzle must be above the carriers head, never under the brim of the hat. The muzzle can be placed on a rubber pad or carpet mat on the shooting station. **AT NO TIME SHOULD A MUZZLE BE PLACED ON THE TOE OR FOOT.**

- **NO SHELLS OUT OF POUCH**

Skeet and Sporting Clays

No shells will be allowed out of your shooting pouch or vest. Your gun is to remain unloaded until it is your turn to shoot.

Trap

MUST BE READY TO SHOOT WHEN IT IS YOUR TURN! For safety no shells will be allowed to be loaded with the action closed prior to the shooter's turn. To maintain time allotments for shooting, shooters need to be ready to load and shoot when it is their turn.

- **TRIGGER CONTROL**

Your finger must be kept off the trigger until your gun is mounted and you are ready to call for the target.

- **OPEN AND EMPTY**

Your gun **MUST** be open and empty with the action open when you change stations and enter or leave the field.

Violations of the above safety rules will not be tolerated. After unsuccessful warnings the shooter will be removed from the field. Accidental discharges will result in the immediate removal and disqualification from any event.